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SOURCE

1. The Rail Kaserne, HALLE, was occupied to capacity by 350 to 400 troops of MVD units. The units included a dog-handling section.
2. Many MVD officers were seen going between the kaserne and an MVD office on Margaretenstrasse. Some veterinary officers were also observed in the Rail Kaserne.

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Comment:

a. Several sources have been reporting for several months that the kaserne on Reilestrasse, HALLE, is occupied by MGB/MVD troops. It is assumed that one MGB/MVD battalion is stationed there.

b. The MGB office on Margarethenstrasse is believed to be the Operational Sector for Saxony-Anhalt.

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